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Friday 19th June 2026

HEADTEACHER'S NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents,

Tomorrow we will be hosting our summer fair. Please support us tomorrow 12-3pm and join in the fun! Please also see attached a detailed map to help you plan your visit.



YEAR 3 CELEBRATION MASS

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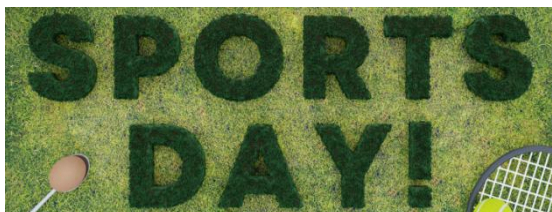


This week, the children celebrated their Thanksgiving Mass. It was a wonderful occasion to give thanks for everyone who has supported and guided them on their journey towards receiving the Sacraments of Reconciliation and the Holy Eucharist.

A special thank you to Canon Jonathan, parents, grandparents, sponsors, and staff for their unwavering support and encouragement during this important time in the children's faith journey. Their guidance, dedication, and prayers have helped the children prepare to receive the Sacraments with confidence and joy.

SUNSHINE, SMILES AND SPORT!

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This week, all our children enjoyed a fantastic Sports Day, taking part in a range of exciting events and challenges while showing great enthusiasm, determination, and sportsmanship throughout the day.

The atmosphere throughout the events was filled with excitement, encouragement, and team spirit. It was wonderful to see so many smiling faces, determined performances, and proud moments of achievement as children gave their best in every event.

A huge thank you goes to all staff who helped organise and run the days, especially Miss Morris, our Sports Teacher, as well as our dedicated pupil sports leaders and supportive parents. Most importantly, thank you to our amazing children, whose enthusiasm, effort, and fantastic participation made the events such a success.

STAYING SAFE IN THE SUN

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As the weather warms up, please take note of the following reminders to help keep children safe, comfortable, and ready to enjoy their school day:

Water Bottles: Children should bring a clearly labelled water bottle each day to stay well hydrated.

Sun Cream: Please apply sun cream to your child before they come to school. If you would like them to reapply it during the day, send in a named bottle and inform the class teacher.

Sun Hats: A labelled sun hat is recommended for outdoor activities to protect children from the sun.

Named Clothing: Jumpers and cardigans are often taken off during warm weather. Please make sure all clothing is clearly labelled to help avoid lost items.

Summer Uniform: Children can wear their usual summer uniform. Full details can be found on our school website.

Thank you for your continued support in helping us keep the children safe and comfortable during the summer term.

WHOLE SCHOOL DATES LIST

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The key dates have been set for the academic year. On the list, you will see the date, event and location. The full list can be seen on this link [St Vincent's Catholic Primary School Trafford: Key School Events and Dates](#) and summer 2 dates can be seen below:

Summer 2 Dates

We are pleased to share the wide range of exciting events we have planned for this half term and look forward to welcoming you to all the parent events.

DAY	DATE	EVENT	LOCATION
Saturday	20 June	PTA Summer Family Fun Day: 12:00pm – 3:00pm	Junior department
Thursday	25 June	Reception Class Assembly 9:05am: led by Reception Mrs Wormall/Mrs Robinson class	Infant department hall
Thursday	25 June	New Reception Parents' Meeting	Infant department hall
Thursday	02 July	Reception Class Assembly 9:05am: led by Reception Miss Reid class	Infant department hall
Friday	03 July	Parents Stay and Share: 8:30am: Y1 to Y6	Classrooms
Friday	03 July	Reception Disco: 3:30pm – 5:00pm	Infant hall
Friday	10 July	Year 1 Disco: 3:30pm – 5:00pm	Infant hall
Friday	10 July	Year 3, 4 and 5 Silent Discos (times to be confirmed), after school	Junior hall department
Monday	13 July	Y2 Dress Rehearsal 9:30am	Infant department hall
Monday	13 July	Y6 Dress Rehearsal 1:30pm	Junior department hall
Tuesday	14 July	Y2 Performance 9.30am	Infant department hall
Tuesday	14 July	Y6 Performance 1:30pm	Junior department hall
Wednesday	15 July	Y2 Performance 1.30pm	Infant department hall
Wednesday	15 July	Y6 Performance 6:30pm	Junior department hall
Thursday	16 July	Y6 Performance 6:30pm	Junior department
Friday	17 July	Y6 Leavers' Disco (organised by year 6 parents)	Holy Angels Parish Hall



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Friday	17 July	Year 2 Disco: 3:30pm – 5:00pm	Infant hall
Tuesday	21 July	Y6 Moving On' Mass 6:30pm	St Vincent's Church
Thursday	23 July	Whole School End of Year Mass 9:15am	Field/playground
Friday	24 July	3:30PM SCHOOL CLOSURES FOR SUMMER	

ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY REMINDERS

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If you have any concerns or need support with your child's attendance, please do not hesitate to contact the school office to request a call back from our pastoral team. We are here to help and work in partnership with families.

Please note that holidays in term time are not authorised. Before booking any trips, we ask parents to check our term dates to ensure holidays are arranged within the designated school breaks.

You can view the 2025-2026 and 2026-2027 term dates here:

[St Vincent's Catholic Primary School Trafford: Term Dates and Times of the School Day](#)

Please see below the attendance percentages for last week.

Class	Attendance %	Class	Attendance %	Class	Attendance %
RLD	97.33%	2ES	97.33%	4CG/SK	95.33%
RCR	94.85%	2FB	94%	5ML	99.33%
ROW/CR	96.55%	3DM	97.33%	5LM	96.43%
1AM	92.33%	3HC/CL	95.33%	5DH	90.65%
1MH	98%	3CN/EL	99.26%	6NS	97.24%
1LT	91.94%	4LD	97%	6HB/DB	96.9%



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2LD		4LH		6DH	
Overall percentage: 95.86%					

We warmly welcome parents to ask about school life. Your first point of contact is your class teacher. In addition, Mrs Farrell (infant deputy) and Mrs Sutton (junior deputy) and I are available to work in partnership with you to support your child's learning and wellbeing. We value open communication and welcome all to work together for the benefit of all our pupils.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs A Harrop

Headteacher

